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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants direct the Examiner's attention to the following references which are listed on the Form PTO-1449 (Substitute) attached hereto as **Exhibit A.**

Items 1-9 were mailed by the UK Intellectual Property Office on November 2, 2010 in connection with a counterpart foreign patent, GB 2,353,282.

Copies of items 1-5 listed in **Exhibit A** are submitted as **Exhibits 1-5,** respectfully. Item 6 was disclosed in an Information Disclosure Statement filed October 9, 2008 and considered January 6, 2009. Item 7 was disclosed in an Information Disclosure Statement filed October 25, 2007 and considered January 8, 2008. Items 8 and 9 were disclosed in an Information Disclosure Statement filed January 15, 2004 and considered January 12, 2007. The Examiner is respectfully directed to the image file wrapper of the subject application for copies of items 6-9.

1. November 2, 2010 Communication from the UK Intellectual Property Office in connection with GB 2353282, including a Request for Revocation Under s72 UK Patent Act 1977 filed September 29, 2010 and amended Request for Revocation Under s72 UK Patent Act 1977 filed October 28, 2010 **(Exhibit 1)**;

2. PCT International Publication No. WO95/08350, published March 30, 1995 (Reed) **(Exhibit 2)**;

3. PCT International Publication No. WO94/07367, published April 14, 1994 (Moelling) **(Exhibit 3)**;

4. European Patent No. EP 0532380, granted January 7, 1999 (Miyata et al.) **(Exhibit 4)**;

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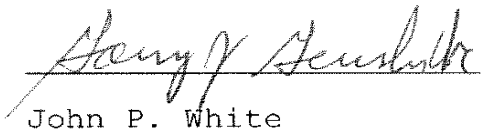
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If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, Applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone him at the number provided below.

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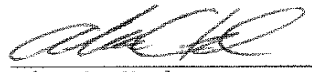
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